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Pension Claims:
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Government of Bombay.
Public Works Department.
Circular Memorandum No. 8682/36-III.
Bombay Castel (Bombay No. 1.),
6th June 1950.

GOVERNMENT CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM

It has been noticed that inspite of the orders issued in Government Circulars, Finance Department no. 6599, dated the 29th October 1949 and the 7th November 1949, inordinate delay in settlement of pension claims of retiring Government servants are caused in certain local offices of this Department. Government is not satisfied with this position and desires to impress on the local officers that pension claims should be disposed of promptly.

2. According to the Bombay Civil Services Rule 195-A a Government servant is required to receive his pension on the date on which it becomes due and according to the Bombay Civil Services Rule 207-A the heads of the offices are required to take up the preparation of pension papers as soon as they come to know that a Government servant is due to retire within a period of six months or has proceeded on leave preparatory to retirement.

3. It may also be mentioned that in case where a Government servant retires before the necessary inquiries, preliminary to the settlement of pension are complete, then as stated in the Bombay Civil Services Rules 214 and 214-A, the Audit Officer can sanction the immediate disbursement of the pension, to which he thinks, that the retiring person is entitled, provided that the person signs a declaration that he would not take any objection to the revision of his pension on com letion of the necessary inquiries. In such cases, the authorities sanctioning the pension should immediately furnish the Audit Officer with necessary information

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to enable him to sanction the disbursement of the pension.

By order of the Governor of Bombay.

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Deputy Secretary to Government.

To

The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The Electrical Commissioner with the Government of Bombay.

The Superintending Engineers of Circles.

The Electrical Engineer to Government.

The public Health Engineer to Government.

The Architect to Government

The Executive Engineers of Divisions.

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Pensions of merged state employees
Prompt disposal of-

GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY
FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
RESOLUTION, NO. 6699
BOMBAY CASTLE 4th AUGUST 1950.

RESOLUTION OF GOVERNMENT.

For further orders pl. see
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In order to expedite the disposal of pension claims in merged areas, Government has appointed two officers Special Officers(Pensions) who have been directed to go round the Districts and help in such disposal. Government has now decided to empower the two special officers(Pensions) to sanction provisional pension to former state employees. While according such sanction, the Special officers will attach a certificate as indicated below to each pension case:-

"Certified that I have verified service qualifying for pension (or gratuity)"fro. the available records. The service claimed has been established and the provisional pension sanctioned by me is 3/4 4th of that found admissible under the rules after a careful summary investigation of the case"

On receipt of the pension papers with the certificate, the Accountant General, Bombay Deputy Accountant General, Baroda, as the case may be, will, without further delay, issue the requisite pension payment order on the appropriate Treasury for payment of anticipatory pension.

2. All Heads of Departments and Heads of Offices empowered to sanction pensions under Bombay Civil Services Rule 213 should, therefore, take immediate steps to collect all necessary documents required in connection with pensions to former merged state

employees and instead of sending them on to the Accountant General as hitherto keep them ready for some scrutiny by the Special Officers. They should also send intimation to the Secretary Finance Department, on the 1st and 15th day of every month regarding the number of cases which are ready to be scrutinised by the Special Officers so that the Special Officers in their tour can give a higher priority to places where the number of such cases is fairly large. Where the report is 'NIL' it should nevertheless be sent on the 1st and 15th day of every month.

By order of the Governor of Bombay.

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Secretary to Government.

To

The Accountant General, Bombay,

The Registrar of High Court of Judicature, Appellate Side Bombay,

The prothonotary and Senior Master, High Court, Bombay

All Departments of the Secretariat,

All other Heads of Departments under the Serveral Departments of the Secretaria

All Heads of offices.

The Enquiry Officer, Secretariat, Bombay.

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